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**CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION**

PATENT NO. : 6,976,349 B2  
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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Title Page

Section (75), delete "Jon Paul Page, Broomfield, CO (US)".

Column 19

Claim 16, lines 5-12, delete Claim 16 in its entirety;  
Claim 17, line 13, delete "17" and insert therefor --16--;  
Claim 18, line 17, delete "18" and insert therefor --17--;  
Claim 19, line 24, delete "19" and insert therefor --18--;  
Claim 20, line 27, delete "20" and insert therefor --19--;  
Claim 20, line 28, delete "caps" and insert therefor --cap--;  
Claim 21, line 30, delete "21" and insert therefor --20--;  
Claim 22, line 34, delete "22" and insert therefor --32--;  
Claim 22, line 34, delete "21" and insert therefor --31--;  
Claim 23, line 37, delete "23" and insert therefor --33--;  
Claim 23, line 37, delete "22" and insert therefor --32--;  
Claim 24, line 40, delete "24" and insert therefor --34--;  
Claim 24, line 40, delete "22" and insert therefor --32--;  
Claim 25, line 43, delete "25" and insert therefor --21--;  
Claim 26, line 57, delete "26" and insert therefor --22--;  
Claim 26, line 57, delete "25" and insert therefor --21--;  
Claim 27, line 61, delete "27" and insert therefor --23--;  
Claim 27, line 61, delete "26" and insert therefor --22--;  
Claim 28, line 64, delete "28" and insert therefor --24--; and  
Claim 28, line 64, delete "26" and insert therefor --22--.

Column 20

Claim 29, line 3, delete "29" and insert therefor --25--;  
Claim 29, line 3, delete "28" and insert therefor --24--;  
Claim 30, line 10, delete "30" and insert therefor --26--;  
Claim 30, line 10, delete "21" and insert therefor --25--;  
Claim 30, lines 10-12, delete "wherein for each syringe body the cap removed in the removing step is the same as the cap replaced in said replacing step" and insert therefor --further comprising: interconnecting a flexible belt to said plurality of syringe bodies in a predetermined orientation prior to said packaging step--;  
Claim 31, line 13, delete "31" and insert therefor --27--;  
Claim 31, line 13, delete "30" and insert therefor --26--;  
Claim 32, line 17, delete "32" and insert therefor --28--;  
Claim 32, line 17, delete "31" and insert therefor --26--;

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Column 20 (cont.)

Claim 32, lines 17-19, delete "wherein for each syring's body the method further comprises: sterilizing the syringe body at said first location" and insert therefor --further comprising: severing said flexible belt between each of said plurality of syring's bodies after said unpackaging step--;

Claim 33, line 20, delete "33" and insert therefor --29--;

Claim 33, line 20, delete "32" and insert therefor --28--;

Claim 34, line 23, delete "34" and insert therefor --30--;

Claim 34, line 23, delete "25" and insert therefor --21--;

Claim 34, line 24, delete "cap removed" and insert therefor -- cap removed --;

Claim 35, line 25, delete "35" and insert therefor --31--;

Claim 36, line 44, delete "36" and insert therefor --35--;

Claim 36, line 44, delete "35" and insert therefor --31--;

Claim 37, line 48, delete "37" and insert therefor --36--;

Claim 37, line 48, delete "35" and insert therefor --31--;

Claim 38, line 51, delete "38" and insert therefor --37--;

Claim 38, line 51, delete "35" and insert therefor --31--;

Claim 39, line 59, delete "39" and insert therefor --38--;

Claim 39, line 59, delete "38" and insert therefor --37--;

Claim 40, line 62, delete "40" and insert therefor --39--;

Claim 40, line 62, delete "38" and insert therefor --37--; and

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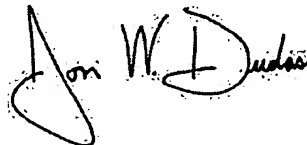
Column 20 (cont.)

Add the following claim;

--40. A method as recited in Claim 31, wherein for each syringe body the method further comprises: holding the cap removed from the syringe body until replaced on one of the plurality of syringe bodies.--

Signed and Sealed this

Ninth Day of January, 2007

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jon W. Dudas". The signature is stylized with a large, looped initial "J" and a cursive "Dudas".

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